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THE NATIONAL CAPITAL

Reports on the Tariff Bill Submitted to the House.

The Mexican Treaty Ratified by the Senate.

Cook's Premonitions of President Garfield's Assassination.

The Tariff Bill

WASHINGTON, March 11.—The majority and minority reports of the ways and means committee on the Morrison tariff bill were submitted to the house to-day. The division in the committee was upon strict party lines. Morrison was asked when he proposed to call the bill up for action. He said he did not know. Other members of the committee expressed the opinion that it would come up next week. The majority report says it was estimated by the tariff commission that the act of March 3d, '83, would reduce rates 25 per cent. The committee find that in the first six months ending December 31, '83, the reduction was only 1 74-100 per cent as compared with the same period in '82. The nominal reduction made by the proposed bill is 20 per cent, or one-fifth the present rates. With the Morrill tariff limitations in the bill and liquor and silk schedules admitted, as they are, the actual reduction on the basis of last year's imports will not exceed 15 per cent upon the whole importation of dutiable goods. Together, the average reduction made in the tariff commission bill by the act of March 3d, '83, and that to be made by the proposed bill will not equal the reduction at which the commission aimed. Wood, sawed lumber, coal and salt are of such universal use among and so necessary to all people that in view of the present abundant treasury receipts it is not deemed desirable longer to obtain revenue from tax on these articles. The decrease in revenue as shown by receipts under the new law other than that resulting from the nominal reduction of 1.74 per cent, results from a falling off in value of nearly $25,000,000 in imports in the first half year under the new law as compared with the first half of the previous year under old law. The reduction in revenue receipts under the bill reported is estimated at $31,000,000 on the basis of last year's imports. To the extent of that $31,000,000 the bill will relieve the people of unnecessary taxes. To that extent taxes will be reduced directly as a measure of justice to consumers and indirectly in largely increased proportions

The minority report takes the ground that the act of '83 has not yet been given a fair trial, and further contends that not a single interest of the United States has asked for the proposed reduction except a few free trade clubs, and that business will suffer seriously from agitation of the subject.

Star Route Investigation.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Wm. A. Cook was examined by the Springer committee today. He said that shortly after he was appointed special counsel in the star route cases he had an interview with President Garfield, who told witness the cases involved many who had been his special friends, but he wanted a thorough investigation irrespective of persons. Witness had an interview with President Garfield and the postmaster general on the Wednesday evening before the president was assassinated. "Before leaving I said to the president that he should be careful of his movements as much bitterness had arisen between the stalwarts and half-breeds, and there were connected with these cases men of extreme feeling. I said at the time that there might be resort to violence. Such was the impression then on my mind. My suggestion for a moment touched the president, but he responded that there was no danger. The bitterness of feeling was so strong I would not have been surprised had it carried itself against the postmaster general and attorney general. I don't think I used at the interview the language recently placed upon my lips by James, but stated in substance what I have given you." Witness strongly desired to have a line of investigation pursued that would show whether Guiteau had accomplices or not, but nothing came of it. Witness was of the opinion that the shooting of the president was not the individual action of Guiteau. This, he said, was in harmony with what he suggested to the president in connection with bitterness between stalwarts and half breeds. He had proof that two other persons accompanied Guiteau when he was seeking a pistol. Shortly after witness entered the employment of the government he had an idea of the reckless feeling on the part of those in the star route cases that might be carried into practice.

Keifer-Boynton.

WASHINGTON, March 11. Secretary Folger appeared before the Keifer-Boynton committee this morning bearing several papers on file in his department touching the character of Charles Garfield and W. B. Moore, who is expected to be called as a witness. As the papers were original ones and as the present was the proper time to submit them as evidence it was agreed that if General Boynton should desire to obtain them copies could be procured from the department hereafter. W. H Painter was the first witness examined. His testimony related to the meeting of correspondents at which the resolution of censure of Speaker Keifer was adopted. Keifer being called contradicted the statement made by Boynton that on March 1st, 1883, he had a conversation with Keifer in regard to the appointment of Jorgensen as receiver of the land office at Walla Walla to succeed Reed of Ohio.

The Wool Convention.

DENVER, March 11.—Wool growers from Colorado, Utah, Wyoming, New Mexico, Nebraska, Kansas and other states are arriving in large numbers to attend the wool growers' convention which meets here to-morrow. An energetic protest against any further reduction of the tariff will be one of the principal results of the convention.

The Mexican Treaty Ratified.

WASHINGTON, March 12.—After four hours consideration in secret session to day the senate ratified the Mexican treaty 41 to 21. The debate preceding the vote is said to have been devoid of incident.

XLVIII Congress

HOUSE.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Morrison reported favorably from the ways and means committee a bill to reduce import duties and war tariff. The new tariff bill was accompanied with a written report.

McKinley submitted the views of the minority.

Under the call of committees reports were submitted by Rosecrans, committee on military affairs, favorably on a bill to authorize the Cheyenne, Black Hills & Montana Railroad company to build across the Fort Russell and Laramie military reservation; also, favorably, on a bill to place Colonel George W. Getty on the retired list as major general.

The house, on motion of Townshend, went into committee of the whole on the postoffice appropriation bill.

Hoar moved to increase to $12,250,000 the appropriation for compensation of postmasters.

Pending action the committee arose.

Payson, committee on public lands, reported back a resolution calling on the secretary of the interior for certain information touching lands patented to the Burlington & Missouri River Railroad company. Adopted.

Adjourned.

SENATE.

Anthony, committee on printing, reported favorably a joint resolution, which passed, authorizing the printing of 12,500 copies of the eulogies on the late Representative Haskell of Kansas.

Dawes, committee on Indian affairs, reported favorably and had placed on the calendar a bill to accept and ratify the agreement with Shoshones, Bannocks and other Indians for the sale of a portion of their lands.

Bills were introduced and referred as follows:

Miller of New York—Providing for the suspension of coinage of standard silver dollars for two years and the issue of one and two dollar treasury notes.

Logan (by request)—To give pensions to dependent relatives of deceased soldiers.

Logan called up the house message on the military academy appropriation bill and moved non-concurrence in house amendments and the appointment of a committee of conference upon the disagreeing vote of the two houses. Agreed to.

The senate then went into executive session for further consideration of the Mexican treaty and when the doors reopened adjourned.

Geronimo as an Importer.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 11. An Examiner Tombstone special says: Geronimo with 33 Apaches in charge of Lieutenant Britton Davis, just returned from Sonora, bring 135 head of cattle and 100 horses and mules with Mexican brands. They stole them last Saturday. Howland, general inspector of customs, attempted to seize the stock as smuggled property. Lieutenant Davis refused to recognize the demand, saying the stock was not in his charge. A demand was then made on Davis as a citizen of the United States to assist his officers to make the seizure. He replied, "Make the attempt and you'll see what I'll do." Geronimo said he would die before he gave up the stock. That would put two thousand Apaches on the war path in 48 hours. He dispatched runners to the reservation. About midnight the Indians broke camp and took the stock. Lieutenant Davis says the situation is serious. If the demand is insisted on it will result in the biggest Apache outbreak ever known.

Sharon-Hill Divorce.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 11.—At the Sharon divorce trial to-day Nellie Brankett, the intimate friend and companion of Miss Hill, testified she thought the latter was Sharon's mistress. When she became acquainted with her she told her so. She was then shown the marriage contract. Afterwards Sharon acknowledged her as his wife. She frequently saw the plaintiff receive money from Sharon; as much as $700 at a time. Sometimes Miss Hill receipted, sometimes not. In July 1882, she first told Sharon she knew Miss Hill to be his wife; told him she was in a delicate state of health. He asked, "Who does she suspect?" I replied, "She don't suspect anybody; she knows it is you." From behind a bureau where she was hid she saw Sharon and Miss Hill occupy the same bed. When Sharon was asleep she escaped from her hiding place. On cross examination she denied being promised a house and ten thousand dollars if Miss Hill succeeded.

Train Robbers Killed.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 11.—A Chronicle Silver City, N. M., special says: Information has been received from the scene of the conflict with the escaped Deming train robbers. Frank Taggart and Mike Lee were hanged to a tree by the posse. The negro Washington had his head shot off. The Mexican Chavez was shot dead. Joseph Laffer, one of the posse, was killed by Kitjoy. The latter escaped headed for the Gila river, but he will certainly be taken dead or alive within ten hours. Mike Lee confessed to killing Engineer Webster.

KANSAS CATTLE.

The Situation Becoming Still More Serious.

Cases of the Malady Appearing in New Places.

Osman with a Large Force Advancing on Graham.

Kansas' Cattle

KANSAS CITY, March 11.—The Journal's Neosho Falls, Kas., special says: The situation is becoming still more serious. Examination to-day shows the disease has appeared in the herd of one Priveau. This is the Yates Centre case, the first report of which was contradicted. Well developed cases have also been discovered in James O'Toole's herd in Lyon county, some miles south of Emporia. Cattle men assembled here are fearful of the result, but still hope for the best. A meeting here to-day brought stockmen from all parts of the state, there being 500 in attendance. They organized by the election of Lieutenant Governor Finney president and T. Fockel secretary. Governor Finney stated that thus far only stock cattle have been affected. Cattle fit for shipment, corn-fed cattle, have not yet been touched by the disease. Experts then made reports of their examinations, Dr. Holcomb, army veterinary surgeon at Ft. Leavenworth, stating that after close investigation he was convinced the malady is the foot and mouth disease

The War in Egypt.

SUAKIM, 8 p. m., March 11.—Firing has begun at Zarabia. General Graham, Colonel Stewart and the whole force have gone thither, including the guard detailed for posts here, which consisted of 730 British and six hundred Egyptian troops.

SUAKIM, March 12th.—The Highlanders working on the entrenched fort at Zarabia were attacked by Osman Digma's command at six last evening. Only 423 marines now defend the forts at Suakim. Scouts from the direction of Tamanieb report Osman with 7,000 men moving toward Zarabia in the hope of destroying British stores of water in a series of night attacks.

SUAKIM, March 12. Osman Digma has sent women and children and baggage to the hills. His men are eager to fight. Rebel reinforcements are continually arriving.

The Markets

BOSTON, March 12.—Wool steady and unchanged.

PHILADELPHIA, March 11.—Wool quiet; unchanged.

NEW YORK, March 11.—Money easy, 1½ to 2; prime paper 4 to 5½; sterling exchange steady 4.87, demand 4.89¾; governments firm; railways steady; state securities dull. At the stock market to-day was one of fluctuations and weakness, the decline being due to the call for a meeting of trunk line presidents to consider the alleged cutting of rates. Compared with last night closing prices ¼ to ⅜ higher for Canada Southern, Central Pacific, New York Central and Omaha preferred, and ½ to 1¾ lower for Central Pacific, Northwestern, St. Paul, Lackawanna, Louisville & Nashville, Lake Shore, Missouri Pacific, Kansas & Texas, Erie, Northern Pacific, Oregon Transcontinental, Pacific Mail, Union Pacific, Wabash preferred and Western Union. Transactions 267,000.

There was unusual activity in the mining market this morning and dealings were well distributed over the list. Prices firm and only in a few cases were there any changes. There was less activity in the afternoon and prices weaker. Hall Anderson declined to 1.15; Iron Silver to 1.55; Consolidated Virginia to 20. Other sales: California 20, Robinson 30, Sonora 07 and Amie 9.

3s	101	4s	123¾
Adams Express	129	American Exp. st.	96
C. B. & Q.	122¾	Erie	34
D. & R. G.	17¾	Preferred	60
C. P.	57¾	N. Y. C.	117¾
Missouri Pacific	88½	U. P.	77
Northwestern	117½	Wells Fargo	110
Preferred	140½	Quicksilver	6
Texas Pacific	18½	Preferred	28
U. S. Express	67	Homestake	8
W. U. T.	74½	Sutro	14
Ontario	29	Northern Pacific	19¾
Iron Silver	155	Preferred	46¾

A Destructive Fire.

ST. LOUIS, March 11.—Probably the most destructive fire that ever occurred in East St. Louis took place to night. The flames first caught in a small barber shop in a row of old frame buildings on the river front situated between the freight yards of the Chicago & Alton railway on the north and by the Ohio and Mississippi on the south. There being no fire department in the place the surrounding property was entirely at the mercy of the flames, which soon enveloped not only the whole row of frames but spread to the transfer company's stables in the rear, and then advanced. Elevator A, still further to the east, and the entire property was destroyed. The elevator had a capacity of half of a million bushels and is said to have contained between two and three hundred thousand bushels of corn, about 50,000 of oats and 10,000 of wheat.

The fire spread to the freight office of the Chicago & Alton road and to cars in the extensive yard of that company. The freight office, which was formerly the passenger depot, was totally destroyed and a large number of empty and laden cars burned. One train of six burning cars was pulled out of the yards to Cone station, near the National stockyards, where the flames communicated to a long line of others on a siding and all of them, to the number of 75 or 80 destroyed. A number of cars in the O. M. yards on the south and still others on a track near elevator A, and in the Chicago & Alton yards, also burned. It is estimated fully 140 cars burned, perhaps one-third to one half of which were laden with grain and merchandise.

The losses cannot be accurately stated to-night. Estimates at this writing are: Elevator buildings, $150,000 to $200,000; grain, $200,000; cars and freight, $75,000; damage to freight yards, railroad and buildings $40,000 to $50,000; row of frame buildings, repair shops, stables, etc., $10,000; or a total of half a million. Insurance is unknown.

A Cold-Blooded Murder

NASHVILLE, Tenn., March 11. At a coroner's inquest it was developed that ex-U. S. Marshal Edward S. Wheat was shot twice and killed by William Spence, his father in-law, at twenty-five minutes past eight o'clock this morning as he was in the act of crossing College street in front of the Merchants exchange. Spence had followed Wheat for more than a whole block. He called to Wheat once and the latter turned his head, but did not stop or reply. Spence overtook him on the street crossing and fired the first and fatal bullet into Wheat's back, the bullet penetrating the heart. Wheat fell on his back. Spence walked round him and fired a second shot into Wheat's breast, the bullet shattering a watch in the upper left vest pocket and entering the body. Wheat died almost instantly. After firing the second shot Spence made some such remarks as that Wheat had choked him. Spence was immediately taken into custody. The trouble is said to have originated from a business dispute of some years standing.

The Northern Blizzard.

ST. PAUL, March 11.—Specials from Fargo and points of the northwest say the storm is still raging and wind increasing in velocity. At 1.30 p. m. all trains were behind, buffeting their way slowly on the main lines. The Manitoba and Northern Pacific Southwestern to Lisbon are still blockaded.

MINNEAPOLIS, March 11. The most severe blizzard of the season is raging. Travel of all kinds is suspended, the people keeping in doors. Specials to the Tribune from various points in Minnesota and Dakota state that the storm is severe everywhere. Trains on the various railroads are either many hours late or abandoned. In the neighborhood of St. Vincent snow in places is drifted twenty feet deep. As yet there are no reports of disasters.

A Southern Cyclone.

JACKSON, Miss., March 11.—A cyclone struck the agricultural college at Sharkville this afternoon. Captain Lucas was slightly wounded. All the buildings were more or less damaged. Stock suffered greatly. Farm implements, fences and grain were blown away. Total damage $12,000. At other points there was severe wind. Lightning struck the state house there.

NEW ORLEANS, March 11.—A Times-Democrat West Point, Miss., special says: Every cabin and gin house on the plantation of Major Young was wrecked by a terrific storm this evening. No lives are reported lost. Rain fell in torrents for two hours, accompanied by hail and lightning.

California Floods.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 11.—The Examiner's Yuma, A. T., special says: The Gila river is rising rapidly and is six feet higher than the great flood of 1862. Citizens are constructing a levee. This will not prevent the lower part of the town being swept. If the river continues to rise the railroad bridge will probably go. The people are excited and afraid to go. The Colorado is reported rising rapidly. Adonde station is threatened with destruction.

YUMA, Arizona, March 11.—The Gila river has overflowed and inundated half the town. One hundred families are destitute.

A Patti Crush.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 11.—A Patti panic is raging. Over three hundred people stood in line all night to be first at the box office this morning. Tickets had been on sale only a short time when the management announced that all were sold. The long line of people howled like madmen. Some paid $12 for their place in line. A few minutes after the announcement that all tickets were sold speculators offered them at twenty dollars each. It is publicly asserted that persons connected with the management are concerned in the despicable scheme. Great indignation is manifested. Thirty dollars are being paid for seats in the dress circle.

Cattle Convention

GALVESTON, Texas, March 11. A News Dallas special says: A convention of the Northwest Texas Cattle Raisers' association began in the opera house this morning. A communication was received from Cheyenne authorizing A. S. Meyer to express the unanimous view of the Wyoming Stock association regarding pleuro-pneumonia and inviting co-operation to secure government aid in the matter. The convention will probably adjourn Thursday.

A Vigilant Hung.

KANSAS CITY, March 11. A Journal's Omaha special says: News is received that Henry Richardson, one of the leading members of the vigilance committee of Brown county, Wyoming, who are credited with having hung 14 horse thieves in the past three months, has himself been hung near his home at Morris Bridge, Brown county. By whom is not yet known.

College Athletics.

NEW YORK, March 11. Representatives of colleges and universities from which proceeded the circular regarding inter-collegiate athletics met here to-day and issued a circular to the effect that as there is no prospect that details of a plan will be received with general favor no further move will be made by the committee.

A Broken Rail.

BUFFALO, March 11.—A train on the Michigan Central due here this morning at 7.30 struck a broken rail about 100 miles from here, which completely overturned the sleeper "Gareogana," containing five passengers. Nearly all were badly bruised but none seriously injured.

Prairie Fire

KANSAS CITY, March 11.—A destructive prairie fire was started by locomotive sparks yesterday afternoon near Kinsley, Kansas, burning a number of ranches, dwellings and other property. Mrs. George W. Mathuey was burned to death in an endeavor to save her home.

Fast Mail.

OMAHA, Neb., March 11.—The fast mail train arrived here this evening at 7.30 o'clock, local time, and made connection with the transcontinental mail over the Union Pacific at 8 o'clock.

A COLORADO CALAMITY.

Fourteen Persons Killed by a Terrible Snow Slide

At Woodstock, on the South Park Railroad.

One Woman and a Man Escape to Tell the Tale.

BUENA VISTA, Colo., March 11.—A terrible snow slide occured at six o'clock last evening at Woodstock, on the South Park, three miles west of the Alpine tunnel, by which fourteen persons lost their lives The telegraph office, section house, water tank and several other buildings were swept away and so far as learned but two persons escaped, Mrs. Doyle, the keeper of the section boarding house, and a man name unknown. The only news to be obtained at this writing comes from Pitkin by the way of Gunnison City. Assistant Superintendent D K. Smith of the South Park starts to night for the scene of the calamity. He has instructed a force of twenty-five men to proceed from the tunnel down to Woodstock to dig out the bodies and convey them to Pitkin, the whole line between the tunnel and Buena Vista being effectually blocked for the present with snow.

The news of the terrible disaster was carried to Pitkin by the man who escaped walking the entire distance, ten miles. The news is very meagre at present and it is not known definitely how many persons have been saved besides Mrs. Doyle and the man referred to, name unknown.

The following is a list of the killed: Three sons and two daughters of Mrs. Doyle, J. S. Brown, agent and telegraph operator; George and Horace Alexander, pumpers; Mike Shea, section foreman; and four section hands, names at present unknown.

Another slide, which fortunately did no damage beyond a temporary blockade of the track, occurred last evening on the South Park between Hortense and Alpine near Cascades It was four hundred feet long and the debris was packed on the track to the depth of twenty feet. It will be all cleared away by ten o'clock to-night. Trains on the joint track between Malta and Leadville have just arrived from Leadville, 12 hours late. The entire line between Malta and Leadville, seven miles in length, was shoveled out. The snows in the mountains this winter are the deepest ever known by the proverbial oldest inhabitant.

A Coloradoan in Limbo.

CHICAGO, March 11.—A Daily News Indianapolis special says: Fred. Bloom, claiming to be from Central City, Colorado, was arrested here to-night on a telegram from St. Louis, charging him with complicity in the $75,000 robbery of the Pacific express office there a few days ago. The telegram says he wrote a letter to the chief of police of St. Louis, saying he knew of the robbery and would give all the desired information if a compromise was offered. He came here a few days ago and deposited $10,000 in a hotel safe. He denies all knowledge of the robbery and says he never wrote any letter to the authorities

The Tonquin Campaign.

PARIS, March 11. Tonquin advices report the French column advancing upon Bacninh from Haid Zuong has had a successful engagement with the enemy. Admiral Courbet has taken an iron clad to Quinton and declared that part of the coast blockaded.

LONDON, March 11.—The report is current in Hong Kong that General Millot opened a cannonade upon Bacninh on Monday. At Canton there are all the signs of a prolonged war. There is no hostility to foreigners however.

Starving to Death.

MONTREAL, March 11.—C. M. Fitt and E. A. Jones, sisters, over fifty years of age, and the daughter of the latter, were found in bed so wasted and weak for want of food they could not speak. All were sent to the hospital.

TELEGRAPH BREVITIES

Indications for Colorado—Fair weather.

Laroche, the tragedian, died yesterday at Vienna.

The governor of Mississippi has approved the railroad supervision bill.

Another bill has passed the parliament of Queensland restricting Chinese.

The president yesterday nominated S. N. Morgan to be secretary of Wyoming.

The democratic state convention of California will be held at Stockton June 10.

The Massachusetts house has passed a bill providing for punishment by flogging for wife beaters.

Nathaniel Byron Page, the actor and playwright known on the stage as "Teddy Byron" is dead.

Governor Newhall of Washington Territory has respited the murderer Gianini till April 15th.

John George Britt, the well known oarsman, was one of the nine men lost with the bark Ada Barton.

The box addressed to the Comte De Paris and seized in Lyons contained dynamite sufficient to kill many persons.

The Mexican government demands reduction of tariff on the Mexico-Vera Cruz Ry. under the terms of the concession.

Joseph Silk, aged 18, clerk in his father's store 441 Eighth avenue, New York, being reprimanded by his father shot himself in the head.

The yacht Atlanta has arrived at Havana, Jay Gould and family on board. The yacht remains some time and then visits other parts of Cuba.

J. M. McCleroy withdraws from the race for the democratic nomination for government of Alabama. This leaves the field to Governor O'Neil.

Effie Ellsler, the actress, has brought suit against Brooks & Dickson, the theatrical managers, for $61,800 damages, for forfeiture of a theatrical contract.

A twelve year-old son of Edward H. Turner, of St. Paul, becoming angered at a reproof by his mother snatched up a revolver and shot himself through the heart

Gallies Eggenberger, a leading citizen of Odell, Ill, was found dead on the railroad track; two bullet holes in his head. His murderers are unknown Citizens offer a reward of $500 for their capture

James Riley, a telegraph messenger, was found on the street in New York yesterday a raving maniac. He kept crying constantly, "I am Butts, the boy detective." His brain was turned by boy novels.

Helen King Spangler, wife of Hon. E I. Spangler, of Coshocton, Ohio, and author of "The Physician's Wife" and other well known novels, was found dead in her bath room yesterday morning. Cause: apoplexy.

The following were confirmed by the senate yesterday: Norman Buck, Idaho, associate justice of the supreme court of Idaho, W. F. Fitzgerald, Mississippi, associate justice supreme court of Arizona; John C. Perry, New York, chief justice supreme court of Wyoming.

A San Antonio special says the notorious Ben Thompson and King Fisher are lying side by side in the Vaudeville theatre, both shot in the left eye. Joe Foster, who attempted to separate them, was shot in the leg and will probably die of hemorrhage. The tragedy occurred at about 11:30 p. m. last night.

MINING MATTERS

Notes Gleaned From Our Exchanges.

THE NEW ELDORADO.

Correspondence Leadville Democrat.

I suppose you have heard all sorts of stories about this wonderful country, and I presume many of them are false and all of them slightly colored; so, as an old Leadville man and a lover of truth, I send you this letter, stating things just as they are. It the first place, I think, from what I have seen, that this country is over estimated. I came out of the camp yesterday to stay a few weeks, as everything is very high there flour $60 per barrel, and sugar and bacon 50 cents per pound. It is true they have some rich mines. I have some pieces that I took from the Mother lode, a true quartz vein, that runs from $800 to $10,000 per ton; and they have taken $10,000 out of the Widow's claim up to date; but none of them are working those claims now. The snow is about three feet deep in the camp. Lots are selling for from $500 to $3,000. There are a great many log buildings going up. Day board is $15 per week. Laborers are getting $5 per day. The whole of Prichard creek is staked off, but there are just as good places unbroken as Prichard creek. There are about 4,000 men in the various camps, but there are four towns. Eagle City is situated on Prichard creek, at the mouth of Eagle river; then twelve miles above Eagle City, on Prichard, and near the Widow's claim, is Murryville; then still further up say four miles—is Rover City; and at the head of Prichard creek is Sullivan City.

Every town along the railroad is crowded with men and every train is loaded down. Town sites are all the rage, and each one interested in a town site is trying to outdo the others in telling lies to benefit their own town or trail, but I am interested in my friends, and I do not think it right for me to keep still and say nothing, when, by writing the truth to them they can be benefitted by it; so I will state to you what I know about the different trails and which is the best way to get into the camp.

I went to Trout creek and went in that way. It is perhaps the shortest trail to Eagle City, but you can't get in over it now, as the water has filled up the gulches, and is the hardest and roughest trail of any of them. The people there are coming here every day. Twenty miles up the railroad you come to the wonderful (?) city of Belknap, located by his honor C. C. Howell and one Baker (known elsewhere as Fay.) I understand they have advertised all over the country that they were running stages in to the mines every three hours. Well, if that is so, I brand them as liars, for they have no trail, nor will they have, in my opinion, a stage line into the mines this summer. The town-site is in a swamp, and in a thick forest, where the snow will not go off before August, if ever; and if they ever get a stage road in from there they have got to plank the road for at least eighteen or twenty miles. However, we will not say any more about that frog pond, but come down the railroad to Thompson. It is situated at the junction of the Clark's forks and Thompson rivers a beautiful level plain, and no timber on the town site to bother, and only about five inches of snow. There is a large force of men working on the road, and they will have trains into the camp by the 20th of this month, at least that is what they say. This is the old Indian trail, and the only one that can be used to get into the camp in the spring of the year. The distance by this route is just the same as Trout creek to Murrayville, but it is some little distance farther to Eagle City. There will be a good stage road to Eagle City from here, and I will bet $500 that it will be there before any other road with teams. Everything is as cheap here as in Leadville. They have a nice depot and telegraph station here, and are building very fast. Lots are selling at $25 to $85, according to location, and there is a good chance to go into most any kind of business here, as this is to be the shipping point to the mines. Several car loads of freight teams came in from Ogden yesterday and several teams from Trout creek, as the people are moving away from there.

I see a great many Leadvillians here and in camp Judge Simmons, Baker, Tyndaman, and others. Several leave for the camp tomorrow. Can make it from here in ten hours.

J. D. Taylor,
Formerly of Leadville.

THOMPSON STATION, M. T., March 2.

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B. W. STERLE,
Manager of the Gazette.

Republican State Central Committee.

Headquarters Republican State Central Committee,
Denver, March 10, 1884.

The members of this committee are requested to meet at the City hall in Denver on Thursday, the 10th day of April, at 12 m. of said day.

The republicans in the new counties are requested to send a representative from each county to be present at said meeting.

J. B. Chaffee, Chairman
S. Nichols, Secretary.

There is to be a meeting of county assessors so that there may be more uniformity in assessments. This is of great importance. While it makes no difference in local taxes, it makes a large difference in the state tax. In 1880 this county paid a greater state tax on moneys and credits than Arapahoe did, and yet our share was hardly a tenth of what the share of Arapahoe was. Our cattle were not more valuable, but yet they were valued per head fifty per cent more than Arapahoe cattle were.

The fast mail service will be a great convenience to this state. It is not clear yet how much we will be helped here. A letter will leave New York Monday morning, reach Chicago Tuesday noon, Omaha Tuesday night at 8 o'clock, and with the trains that were on last summer reach Denver on Wednesday evening. This makes the time only two days and a half from New York. The time is not far distant when we shall be only two days from New York. In 1880 we were four days from New York and in 1882 the time in summer with the fast trains was reduced to three days.

Hon. John B. Alley, who made a brief stop in this city Monday, on his return from the Palo Blanco ranch in New Mexico, is a self-made man. He was apprenticed to the shoemaker's trade in Lynn and afterwards engaged in the manufacture of shoes. After serving his city and state in various positions of honor and trust he was elected to congress as a republican and served continuously from 1859 to 1857. Since he left congress he has been out of politics and has given his attention to business, in which he has made a large fortune. Among other enterprises he has been prominently connected with the Credit Mobilier and Union Pacific railroad.

We print elsewhere a well considered letter suggested by a squib that appeared in the Gazette a few days ago. The letter gives what is probably a fair explanation of the fact that women have suffrage in Utah and do not in New England. But it is not exactly in the line of thought that Miss Kate Field suggested. Miss Field rather said, a low civilization like that in Mormon land gives the ballot to women, but a higher civilization, like that in New England, does not, and suggests that New England is behind Utah in this respect. What the letter says about the W. C. T. U. and suffrage is eminently just. This association has been single in its work for temperance reform. So far as it has asked for political rights for women it has been to aid in carrying on this reform. The union in this state has only asked for the right of women to vote at school elections and we think that among the opponents of woman's suffrage there is a general feeling in favor of granting this privilege. We use the term privilege simply because we do not conceive of suffrage as an inalienable right. We may add also that we believe the W. C. T. U. is advocating woman's suffrage on the right ground. It is not a question of right but expediency. When it appears that it will be better for the country to let women vote, then we are in favor of it. The franchise is limited to males of twenty-one and over on this ground. It is also taken from criminals and insane on the same ground. In other words the state can do what is for its own interests in granting or taking away the privilege of voting. The franchise is not an inalienable right. If it were the state could not deprive the intelligent youth of twenty of the right to vote on a question he is interested in. If it is an inalienable right, the state cannot determine the age at which it is to be exercised, the conditions under which a foreign born citizen may vote, nor make laws under which a male voter over twenty-one years of age may exercise this right, any more than it can determine the sex that shall exercise the right. The instant it does any of these things the right sinks into a privilege which the state grants or refuses on grounds of expediency.

Woman Suffrage.

To the Editor of the Gazette.

Permit a woman to give her opinion, or logic, if you choose to call it such. Yet bear in mind, if woman's logic is to be measured by plummet and line, woman's heart must be considered the plummet to straighten the line. The logic that I find in Kate Field's assertion, "that woman's suffrage is more favorably received in Utah, with woman's ignorance, than in New England with woman's education," is this, that in Utah woman is held a vassalage and her vote in such circumstances is a power in man to serve his own ill-guided purposes; while in New England woman, able to do her own reading, and thinking too, and her ability will make her so independent that she will obey God rather than man and vote down the liquor interests though her husband command her to do otherwise, (lest she injure his business).

Woman's independent vote is a power for reform, but woman's vote in vassalage is not. In the latter case, I believe the strongest advocates of woman's suffrage would gladly forego the right to representation. It is argued that woman's suffrage will create family discord. It is possible for husband and wife to agree to disagree, if need be. A husband whose wife dares to disobey his commands—to obey God's rather—may learn some lessons in courage to do right; for it would require not a little courage and much prayer in the present stage of public sentiment to oppose one's husband, even to do right. Divorces do not result from striving to do right.

Of late much unjust comment has been going the rounds of the press concerning the action of the N. W. C. T. U. and woman's suffrage. It is but the natural result of the adoption of a resolution by the "Brewers' association" declaring against woman's suffrage. When such unjust comments were published in the Cheyenne papers a committee of some of the city officials and prominent citizens waited upon the editors to inform them that the people would not sustain comment against an existing law so much in favor as woman's suffrage in Wyoming.

The national W. C. T. U. send to congress a memorial concerning the interests of woman's suffrage, signed by the executive committee only. They do not petition congress, or even the people for signatures, to do so. When we consider that the W. C. T. U. is working in many localities where woman's vote or signature against petitions for license can be used as a force in temperance work we must acknowledge it is the duty of the W. C. T. U. as a Christian organization to use all just forces to further the good.

When women can vote for school officials as in our own city, it is not only woman's privilege, but duty, to see to it who have control of our children's teachers and the general school arrangements.

Temperance instruction in public schools is gaining in authorized use, more rapidly than the most sanguine could have hoped for.

Even New York marching boldly in line giving twenty-two votes for to eight against in the lower house.

If I mistake not, our city school board need but little encouragement, to introduce oral temperance instruction at least in our schools. Will not our women act for the best interests of our children?

The only way in which the Colorado W. C. T. U. organizations are committed to woman's suffrage is by the adoption of the following resolution:

"*Resolved*, That, realizing the need of good men on our school board, we urge upon our women the conscientious use of the ballot in school matters."

Surely, no really true man or woman can take exception to such use of the ballot in the hand of woman.

A Worker.

PERSONAL.

Guth says that Truth is for sale for $27.00.

Congressman Geddes, of Ohio, it is said, looks and acts very much like Abraham Lincoln.

The late Matt Carpenter once said to a Catholic divine: "Purgatory is simply a motion for a new trial."

Clemenceau originally studied English in order that he might read "Robinson Crusoe" in Defoe's own language.

The president's little daughter Nellie is 10 years old. She is dressed very simply, and she is attended by a stout, capable Irish girl.

A Boston man correctly guessed the number of beans in a bag. Another evidence that the capital of the Bay State is the hub of the universe.

Nineteen autograph letters from Byron to his mother, bound in a volume, have been sold by Sotheby, the book auctioneer, for £72 10s for the Boston library.

Miss Anita Newcomb, now studying abroad, has inherited from her father, Professor Newcomb, of the Naval observatory, remarkable mathematical powers, and is competent to calculate eclipses.

Bartley Campbell, the dramatic author of Stapleton, William Shakespere of Rossville, and Edwin Forrest of Prince's bay, all residents of Staten Island, were drawn in the same panel of jurors Tuesday for the trial of James McGuirk, alias Mulligan's Ghost.

Oscar Wilde recently delivered his one hundredth lecture since his return home from America—or rather, repeated his lecture on America the one hundredth time. His "dates are filed" for the present month, and on or about April 1 he will appear in the new role of a bridegroom.

For some government reason not stated, Prince Nicholas Orloff, who for twelve years past has been Russian ambassador to Paris, is about to be transferred to Berlin. Having lived in France for many years before his appointment as embassador, he is very popular in Parisian society, and there is great regret at his removal.

Rainbows.

Tyndall, in the Nineteenth Century.

The oldest historic reference to the rainbow is known to all: "I do set my bow in the cloud, and it shall be for a token of a covenant between me and the earth. * * * And the bow shall be in the cloud; and I shall look upon it, that I may remember the everlasting covenant between God and every living creature of all flesh that is upon the earth." To the sublime conceptions of the theologian succeeded the desire for exact knowledge characteristic of the man of science. Whatever its ultimate cause might have been, the proximate cause of the rainbow was physical, and the aim of science was to account for the bow on physical principles. Progress toward this consummation was very slow. Slowly the ancients mastered the principles of reflection. Still more slowly were the laws of refraction dug from the quarries in which nature had imbedded them. I use this language, because the laws were incorporate in nature before they were discovered by man. Until the time of Alhazen, an Arabian mathematician, who lived at the beginning of the nineteenth century, the views entertained regarding refraction were utterly vague and incorrect. After Alhazen came Roger Bacon and Vitellio, who made and recorded many observations and measurements on the subject of refraction. To them succeeded Kepler, who, taking the results tabulated by his predecessors, applied his amazing industry to extract from them their meaning—that is to say, to discover the physical principles which lay at their root. In this attempt he was less successful than in his astronomical labors. In 1604 Kepler published his "Supplement to Vitellio," in which he virtually acknowledged his defeat, by enunciating an approximate rule instead of an ill-satisfying natural law. The discovery of such a law, which constitutes one of the chief corner stones of optical science, was made by Willebrord Snell, about 1621.

The Child in a Printing Office.

Harrington Hawkeye.

Where the Man that is Looking so hard at the Piece of Paper? He is an Intelligent Compositor. Why does he hold the Paper so close to his Eyes? Because the Correspondent that wrote it makes Hen Tracks. What is he saying? He is saying, "I can't make out this stuff." And who is the Other Man going to the case? That is the Furious Foreman. What does he want? He is going to Help the Intelligent Compositor decipher the Hen Tracks. Do you Think he Can do it? I don't know, he can do most Anything, but I Guess that will be Too Much for him. Now I see another Man Coming. What is he Going to do? That is the Precise Proof Reader. He is Going to Cast his eagle Eye over the Hen Tracks to see where they Lead to. Do You think He can Find out? No, not without a Guide or a Calcium light. Now here comes Another Man—who is the Man? That is the Able Editor. Where does he come from? From his Den. Now all the Men are close together—see! their Heads most touch—and they are Looking every One at the Piece of Paper. What are they doing that for? Because they Are Concentrating their Giant Intellects upon the Piece of Paper to see What the Hen Track Correspondent means by his Hieroglyphics. Have they Found out? No, they are stumped. Now they are going Away from the Case. Yes. And one of the men chucked the piece of Paper into the Stove. Why does he do That? Because he can't read the Hen Tracks. Who is the Small Boy that has a Grin on his face, and his Hat turned up in Front? He is the Office Boy. What is the Able Editor saying to him? He is telling him to go after the Long Range Shot Gun. What for? Because the Able Editor wants to go hunting after the Hen-Track Correspondent. Will he hurt him? Yes, he will, if he Catches him. Do you think the Correspondent ought to be Killed? Certainly.

Dickens, Illustrated.

The Fortnightly Review.

It is difficult for any of us to gauge accurately the amount of the debt which the fame of Dickens owes to Cruikshank and Hablot Browne. That the force of the draughtsman was a force to be reckoned with is even now very plain. Half of us, when we think of Oliver Twist and of Bill Sykes, think of them as they are drawn by Cruikshank. Copperfield and Mr. Pecgotty, Mr. Tulkinghorn, Joe, and Mr. Snag-by come even now to our mental vision through the medium of "Phiz." There are many marked differences between George Cruikshank and Hablot Browne, the two rivals in the illustration of the English novel, whom of all one could select, it is perhaps most profitable to compare and contrast, and the earliest that must be noted is a difference of condition at the moment when each approached his task. Cruikshank came to the illustration of "Sketches by Boz" and of "Oliver Twist" with a reputation ready made, nay, with two reputations for the effective caricaturist had made a fame quite apart from the melodramatic illustrator of romance. Hablot Brown, on the other hand, was very young and almost untried when he began to be associated with the author of "Pickwick." Artist and writer were practically contemporaries—the one was born in 1815, the other in 1812—to both belonged the mental flexibility, not alone of genius, but of fewness of years. These men changed and developed together, while George Cruikshank, even had his services been wanted after those earliest books which he best understood, would have failed to adapt himself to the requirements of a style which was losing the extravagances of youth only to gain fresh characteristics, into which the imagination of Cruikshank might with difficulty enter.

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Montrose is to invest $3,000 in an artesian well, the contractor guaranteeing to get water or no pay.

The directors of the late Merchants' & Mechanics' bank at Leadville will be sued for the misappropriation of moneys.

The annual report of the Colorado Coal & Iron company shows that 599,000 tons of coal was mined by the company in 1883.

There will be considerable excitement in the county local election at Loveland. The issue will be license and anti license.

It is boasted that $2,500 of outside indebtedness of the town of Del Norte has been paid since the new board of trustees went in one year ago.

The Denver & Rio Grande railway company are now lying the track through Bridgeport tunnel and in a few days the great work will be open for the passage of trains. The tunnel is 2300 feet long.

Professor S. H. Baker, principal of the Canon City school, was fined five dollars the other day for whipping a boy named Robert Pope, and promptly resigned. A collection was taken up and forty-five dollars and fifty-five cents was raised to pay his fine

Cattle are reported to be suffering badly in the North Park. The snow is estimated to be at least four feet deep on the level, and in many places thirty feet deep The cattle are gathered together in small bunches, and are unable to procure anything to eat, or any water and unless warm winds come soon, the losses will foot up very heavy.

MINING MATTERS.

Notes Gleaned from Our Exchanges.

COLORADO'S GOLD MINES

Gilpin county, Colo., has again produced its annual millions of gold, says a correspondent of the Weston, Mo., Chronicle. This county has an unusual interest of the old settlers of Weston, it was here the Wilson boys started freighting and many citizens from here first settled, in it are situated Black Hawk, Central and Nevada, here is where Chaffee made his fortune. The old pine log house in Nevada, where Perry Wallingford and Joseph Murphy opened the pioneer store, is still standing. John Murphy, John T. Murphy, Joseph Murphy, Perry Wallingford, Benjamin Bean, Yocum, Parish, McCurdy, Marshall, Scudder, Miller, Darlington and many other western people were among the first to tread down the nettles. Dick Darlington, now of the Black Hills, was the first recorder of the Nevada district; and kept the records with such malicious accuracy, that titles are still unsettled. Benjamin Bean was one of the locators of the famous Empire tunnel. Many of our old citizens or their heirs had or still have an interest in mining claims there, and although mostly abandoned, there are many worth looking after. The last time the writer was there he looked the thing up a little and learned that during the years '59-60 61, the miners of Nevada district, at their meetings passed laws upon which all the mining titles previous to the organization of the territory are founded. The books of the various districts were transferred to the county seat of Gilpin county at Central City. The laws and rules adopted at these meetings defined and regulated water rights, ditch claims, patch claims, placer claims, lode claims, mill titles, and tunnel rights. The regulation of tunnel rights upon Quartz hill was of rather an extraordinary character, but was duly acknowledged and enforced while the districts remained separate, and if properly established and verified is still the law. The tunnel sites were located under the law, mostly by old Weston, viz, Gold Dirt, now Lacross, and the Empire. Under the miners' law the owners of the tunnel had a right to 200 feet on each side of the tunnel through the entire length, which then commenced in Nevada gulch, and extended to the boundary of the district on the south, taking a first right on every lode touched by the tunnel as extended through the hill and extended to every lode cut or discovered by the tunnel company and extending up to within 50 feet of the surface and downward indefinitely. It is claimed by the parties owning these two tunnels that they can hold 400 feet through Quartz hill on the line of their tunnels, and this claim interests some old Westonians. It is said by some that there is no such record on file, and therefore it is valueless, but others claim the original record as well as copies of it are in existence and can be produced. There are persons living who are present and kept copies of these meetings, as capitalists of New York and Boston were on hand at an early day and with Yankee caution salted down the regulations, affecting their investments in anticipation of carelessness, accident or bad faith. There are known to be some valuable interests there in which the old Weston pioneers were once interested and may be yet as far as the writer knows; they might pay to investigate Just upon the hill is the old burying ground where more than one old citizen of Weston sleeps well after the fitful race for gold. There is the nameless grave of Dave Johnson once the foremost lawyer of Leavenworth and one of nature's noblemen. Jerry Lee and several other colored citizens reside here and are well off and citizens of respectability.

FREMONT'S OLD CAMP—A GOLD BELT.

Idaho Springs Gazette.

Up Mill creek near Dumont there is a tract which has historic interest for Coloradoans. Old kettles, rusted implements of warfare and culinary relics indicate that this place was used as a camping ground years before the hardy 59ers followed Clear creek to Idaho Springs and Central. Trappers and records agree in proving this old time camp to be one of Fremont's outposts two score years ago.

So little is this interesting section of Clear creek county known that piles of rocks raised by human hand have never been sufficiently disturbed to discover whether they are the tombs of Indians, or white men.

Sanguine prospectors claim that there is running between this point and Empire a gold belt equal in richness to the placer wealth of the Cœur d'Alene region. The gold producing section extends from the head of Mill creek to upper Empire or beyond, covering a surface of about two and a half miles in width by six or thereabouts in length. A miner generally reliable and well known states that one dinner bucket containg $16 and another $34 worth of gold were panned in a day each in Clear Creek's Cœur d'Alene. There is likelihood of the existence of a rich gold centre, somewhere between the fine fissures of Gilpin county and those of Empire.

NUMEROUS NOTES.

Good smelting ores are getting scarce at the smelters.

White Quail mine, on Elk mountain, has been re opened.

Copper mountain will attract unusual attention this season.

One of the Apex mines on Carbonate hill is panning out finely.

The Carbonate King is showing up fine specimens of brittle silver.

The new smelter at Gunnison will celebrate April 1st with its first blow in.

A fine body of good quality of smelting ore has been found in the Gibson mine, on Quartz hill.

Eastern capitalists on the lookout for good mines are becoming more numerous as the season advances.

A recent shipment from the Condor mine, on Lake creek, Chaffee county, sampled 120 ounces in silver and 18 per cent lead.

During the ice blockade at Malta there were sixty cars loaded with lime rock in the yards at Fairplay awaiting shipment.

Since the completion of the Ten-Mile Short Line the South Park is able to furnish all the cars that are needed by the lime rock men.

Several properties on Gold Hill, near Buena Vista, have been bonded by Leadville men, and there is talk of the erection of another stamp mill at that point.

The roasters for the preliminary treatment of the sulphide ores that are now coming into the market in increased quantities are in process of erection at the Grant works

The Kelly mine, in the Magdalenas, was once bought by P. Dorsey, of Socorro, for $7,000. The mine now supplies a 108 ton smelter and the ore in sight will continue that supply for three years.

The American Mining and Smelting company owns a mine in Gunnison county, and will probably draw ore from it for their leased smelter in Canon, and flux the same with Battle mountain or Little Ellen carbonates.

Every department of mining in the Red Mountain district will be energetically pushed this season. The gold found there is unusually pure and seems to exist in abundance. Prospectors and capitalists are giving it their attention.

The Sierra Bella group of mines at Lake Valley, N. M., are developing into a remarkable property. One car of selected ore realized $83,600. During January, 30 men took out $60,000 worth of ore. The amount of ore is very extensive.

At Idaho Springs two executions were issued against the Pacific Mining and Reduction company of that place, one in favor of the Freeland Mining company for $2,500 and costs, and the other in favor of Andrew C. True for the sum of $12,391.16 and costs.

The steady gain in coin and the recent demand for more, by the banks, will throw a wet blanket upon the dapper dandies of New York and Boston, who are drafting resolutions by the yard against the further coinage of silver.

Judge Hallett's decision in the case of Relief Jackson vs. D. Raby et al., regarding the title of the Thomas Klak claim, on Blue river, near Breckenridge, has been sustained by the United States supreme court. Judge Hallett held that neither plaintiff nor defendant had title to the property.

LETTER LIST.

List of letters remaining unclaimed in the postoffice at Colorado Springs, El Paso county, Colorado, for the week ending March 12th, 1884:

Baker, Lula	McCommon's, Kate
Brady, G L	Phillips, Isaac 2
Cossitt, Paul B	Simon, Wm
Davis, J	Tucker, Mrs T
Drew, Mrs L	Westermen, Corrie
Johnson, T	

FOREIGN.

Smith, E T

To obtain any of these letters the applicant must call for "advertised letters," and give the date of this list. If not called for within thirty 30 days they will be sent to the dead letter office.

E. L PRUIT, P. M

Board of Health Notice.

It is hereby ordered by the Board of Health of the city of Colorado Springs, that in any and every case of contagious or infectious disease within the city it shall be the duty of the person or persons in the care or custody, or the physician, if any, having charge of such case, or cases, to report the same without delay to the city marshal, who shall immediately proceed to affix in a conspicuous place in front of the premises, where such case or cases may be, a card with the name of the disease printed thereon in large letters; and said card shall be kept in place by the occupants of said premises so long as there is any danger of the spread of the disease therefrom.

J. F. HOUTHEY, Mayor.
Chairman of the Board of Health.
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ASSETS $101,148,248.25

ANNUITY ACCOUNT.

	No	AMT. PAY'T'D		No.	AMT. PAY'T'D
Annuities in force Jan. 1, 1883	55	$19,203 01	Annuities in force Jan. 1, 1884	61	$23,134 61
Premium Annuities		3,713 44	Premium Annuities		3,674 90
Annuities issued	7	4,403 40	Annuities Terminated	1	537 48
	62	$27,319 75		62	$27,346 75

INSURANCE ACCOUNT.

	No	AMOUNT.		No	AMOUNT.
Policies in force Jan. 1, 1883	106,214	$356,654,174	Policies in force Jan. 1, 1884	110,990	$342,046,682
Risks assumed	11,531	37,810,597	Risks terminated	6,755	21,418,709
	117,745	$394,464,771		117,745	$367,384,771

REVENUE ACCOUNT.

Dr.		Cr.	
To balance from last account	$92,786,884 08	By paid death claims	$5,095,395 00
" premium received	14,467,028 44	" " matured endowments	2,566,201 78
" interest and rents	5,042,904 45	Total claims—$7,661,596 78	
		" " annuities	27,681 88
		" " dividends	3,132,491 69
		" " surrendered policies and additions	2,811,160 71
		Total paid policy holders—$13,633,930 51	
		" " commissions (payment of current and renewal of future)	883,124 90
		" " premium charged off on securities purchased	409,472 22
		" " taxes and assessments	228,057 10
		" " expenses	834,752 79
		" " balance to new account	94,972,108 26
	$111,283,878 97		$111,283,878 97

BALANCE SHEET.

To reserve at 4 per cent	$95,571,877 00	By bonds secured by mortgages on real estate	$46,303,473 34
" claims by death not yet due	608,645 00	" United States and other bonds	25,279,000 00
" premiums paid in advance	22,791 37	" loans on collaterals	15,337,910 00
" agents' balances	8,479 56	" real estate	8,653,971 59
" surplus and contingent guarantee fund	4,030,482 34	" cash in banks and trust companies at interest	3,402,240 03
		" interest accrued	1,310,689 27
		" premiums deferred, quarterly and semi-annual	1,039,229 68
		" premiums in transit, principally for December	140,736 48
	$101,148,248 25		$101,148,248 25

NOTE.—If the New York Standard of four and a half per cent interest be used, the surplus is over $12,000,000

From the surplus, as appears in the Balance Sheet, a dividend will be apportioned to each participating policy which shall be in force at its anniversary in 1884

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Assets $101,148,248 25

NEW YORK, January 18, 1884

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HANSON A. RISLEY,
CHARLES W. DRAKE
Trustees.

Colorado Springs, Colo., February 4, 1884.

Notice.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Colorado Coal and Iron company will be held at the principal office of the company at Colorado Springs, Colorado, on the seventh day of April, 1884, at 12 o'clock noon The transfer books of the company, for the transfer of stock, will close at 3 p m on the first day of March next, and remain closed until three days after the adjournment of the meeting

WILLIAM WAGNER, Secretary.
b-28-tf

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Colorado Springs Investment and Improvement company will be held at the office of said company, in Colorado Springs, Colorado, March 5th, 1884, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

A. H. PARTRIDGE, Secretary.
dwb-23-td

Annual Meeting.

The next annual meeting of the stockholders of the Mexican National Railway company will be held at the principal office of the company, at Colorado Springs, Colorado, on the 5th day of April, 1884, at 12 o'clock noon, for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may be proper. The transfer books of the company, for the transfer of stock, will close on the 15 h day of March, 1884, at 3 o'clock p. m., and remain closed until three days after the final adjournment of the meeting.

By order of the board of directors,

JOHN PRATT, Secretary.

March 1, 1884. c-4-td

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Mexican National Construction company to elect members of the board of directors and transact such other business as may lawfully come before the meeting, will be held at the principal office of the company at Colorado Springs, in the state of Colorado, on the first Monday of April, 1884, at twelve o'clock noon The transfer books of the company for the transfer of stock will be closed on the 15th day of March, 1884, at twelve o'clock noon and remain closed until three days after the final adjournment of such meeting

W. W. NEVIN, Secretary.

March 1st, 1884. c-4-td

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A. A. McGOVNEY, Trustee.

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TIME TABLE.

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

No. 1. Leadville mail, for Pueblo, El Moro, West Cliff, Leadville and Kansas City, arrive 11.32 a. m., depart 11.37 a. m.

" 3. Leadville express, for Pueblo, Kansas City, Leadville, Frisco, Red Cliff, Silverton and New Mexico, and all intermediate points, daily, arrive 10.37 p. m. depart 10.42 p. m.

" 5. Pacific express, for Gunnison, Salt Lake, Ogden, San Francisco and all points west, daily, arrive 10.57 p. m., depart 11.00 p. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

No. 2. Denver express, from Leadville, West Cliff, El Moro, Pueblo and Kansas City, arrive 3.45 p. m., depart 3.50 p. m.

" 4. Eastern express, from Red Cliff, Frisco, Leadville, Kansas City, Pueblo and all intermediate points, daily, arrive 3.50 a. m., depart 3.55 a. m.

" 6. Atlantic express, from California, Ogden, Salt Lake, Gunnison and all intermediate points, daily, arrive 5.40, p. m., depart 5.45 p. m.

Colorado Springs & Manitou R'y.

Leave Colo. Springs.	Leave Manitou.
8.15 a. m.	8.30 a. m.
12:05 p. m.	11:05 a. m.
5:00 p. m.	3:15 p. m.

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GOING SOUTH.	GOING NORTH.
No. .....6.45 p. m.	No. 2.....9.30 a. m.

Postoffice Bulletin.

The postoffice is open daily from 7.30 a. m. to 7.00 p. m. Sundays from 12 m. to 1 p. m. and from 5.00 to 6.00 p. m. Mails arrive and depart as follows:

GOING SOUTH	DEPART.	
Via D. & R. G.	11.12 a. m.	8.00 p. m.
Via D. & N. O.		6.20 p. m.
GOING NORTH		
Via D. & N. O.	9.15 a. m.	
Via D. & R. G.	3.25 p. m.	5.20 p. m.
MAIL FROM THE NORTH	ARRIVE.	
Via D. & R. G.	12.00 m.	10.40 p. m.
Via D. & N. O.		7.00 p. m.
MAIL FROM THE SOUTH.		
Via D. & N. O.	9.45 a. m.	
Via D. & R. G.	3.50 a. m.	3.55-6.00 "
	DEPART.	ARRIVE
Colorado City & Manitou....	11.25 a. m.	12.00 m
Manitou:	3 20 p. m.	3 55 p. m

Mail for Sunview and Hatton closes Sunday at 8 00 p. m. Arrives Thursday at 6.00 p. m.

Mail for Suffolk and Sanborn closes Monday at 12 m, and arrives Saturday at 3 p. m.

Telegraph Office Hours.

Week days.....8 a. m. to 8 p. m
Sundays.....8 to 10 a. m. and 4 to 6 p. m.

MISS M. A. CARPENTER, Manager.

Prohibitionists Attention.

All legal voters in the city of Colorado Springs who are in favor of prohibition and the enforcement of the ordinances of this city, are requested to meet in their respective wards on Saturday March 15, 1884 at eight o'clock p. m., to elect delegates to the prohibition convention, and also to elect one committee man to represent your respective wards on the prohibition committee next year.

The basis of representation is one delegate for each twenty-five votes cast at the last election, which entitles the different wards to delegates as follows:

First ward.....6 delegates.
Second ward.....5 "
Third ward.....6 "
Fourth ward.....7 "

The places of meeting will be as follows:

First ward Court House hall.
Second ward—Whipple & Roby's shop.
Third ward—A. M. E. church.
Fourth ward—City hall.

You will nominate aldermen for your wards as follows: First ward, one for two years. Second ward, one for one year, and one for two years. Third ward, one for two years. Fourth ward, one for one year, and one for two years.

The delegates elected at the ward caucuses will meet in convention at Court House hall, March 22, 1884 at 8 o'clock p. m., to nominate candidates as follows:

One candidate for mayor.
" " " city treasurer.
One committeeman for the ensuing year.

L. E. SHERMAN,
H. A. WILSON,
G. H. STEWART,
L. B. FARRAR,
F. L. ROUSE,
Committee.

Work has begun on the new skating rink.

Henry McGivney was fined $14.30 for drunkenness by Justice Pixley yesterday.

The ladies of the Baptist church are making arrangements for a grand easter festival.

Mr. C. H. St. John, of Denver, will lecture in the opera house next Sunday evening on the temperance question.

Mr. Charles T. Austin returned yesterday from Philadelphia, where he has been spending the winter, and registered at The Antlers.

The second lecture of the M. E. church course will be given on Friday night by President Sewell, of the State university. Subject: "Sand."

Mr. J. M. Ellison, the Denver & Rio Grande ticket agent, is confined to the house by a slight attack of sickness. He will be out again in a few days.

There is some little talk on the streets over candidates for aldermen and the several other city officers, but the political pot has not yet begun to boil in earnest.

There will be a regular meeting of the Matt France Hose company at their room in the city hall this evening at 7.30 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

We notice that property owners on Tejon street continue to repair their plank sidewalks in open disregard of the ordinance passed a month or so ago and now in full force.

Mr. John Pixley requests us to announce that he will not allow his name to be used as anti prohibition alderman against Mr. Hemenway in the Fourth ward as stated in last evening's Republic.

Ex-Congressman John B. Alley, who was here on Monday, is an uncle of Mr. Arthur Talbot, of Messrs. Aux, Smith & Co., of this city. Mr. Talbot is now on the Palo Blanco ranch in New Mexico.

The boards of registration were in session in the several wards of the city yesterday. All voters should see to it personally that their names are registered to day, when the boards will again meet.

When the "Wolf in Sheep's Clothing" was given two weeks ago there were many disappointed in getting good seats, because the tickets sold so rapidly. Remember the box sheet opens on Thursday morning.

Mrs. A. Kimball, wife of Superintendent Kimball, of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific, arrived in the city on Tuesday with President Cable and will make her home here during the remainder of the spring.

Captain Edwards and Messrs. J. F. Seldomridge and Charles Thurlow left for Denver on the afternoon train to attend the wool growers convention which meets there to-day. Major McAllister went up on the early train this morning also as a delegate to the convention.

Mr. Joseph G. Brown, an old time journalist formerly of the Louisville Courier-Journal, and for the past four or five years with the Denver Tribune, paid Colorado Springs a visit yesterday in the interest of "The Opinion," a weekly Sunday paper about to be issued in Denver and edited by Mr. O. H. Rothacker.

To-morrow morning the reserved seat sale will open for the dramatic performance to be given at the opera house on Saturday night by the Hare's Foot club. The excellence of the last performance ought to insure the club a good house especially as the proceeds are to go to the meteorological department of Colorado college.

Architect Roeschlaub, the architect of the new school building, came down from the north on the morning train yesterday and was present at a meeting of the school board yesterday afternoon. The bids presented by the contractors last Saturday were looked over and the contract awarded to Joseph Dozier, the lowest contractor, at $16,720. He will be required to give a bond of $20,000 for the faithful performance of the work.

The friends and former patrons of Dr. Sinton will be glad to learn that he will return to Colorado Springs soon and resume the practice of dentistry. The doctor has spent the winter in the dental department of the State University of Iowa and graduated at the head of his class. His standard in the class was 99 8-10 and he was awarded the high honor of valedictorian. He will open his office with Dr. Cooper on Kiowa, between Tejon and Nevada.

It will be noticed in the advertisement that the Hare's Foot club will appear at the opera house on Friday evening instead of on Saturday evening. The evening was changed because the prohibition primaries are called for Saturday evening. The tickets will be put on sale at Howbert Bros.' on Thursday morning. The last entertainment given by the members of this club was much enjoyed. The coming entertainment promises much more. There should be a very full house.

Mr. Harvey Young just returned from Aspen day before yesterday where he has been prosecuting work on the Chloride and Durant claims. In the former claim a vein of rich mineral has been uncovered which gives indication of the property being one of the most valuable in the camp. Other good strikes have recently been made. The Castle Rock Mining company, in which Colorado Springs people are principally interested, has fourteen rich claims in this camp that look very promising. Mr. Young gives as his opinion that Aspen with the opening of spring will be one of the liveliest mining towns in Colorado.

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